

Second. Whether it was their Opinion, that should the Act take Place the Duties could possibly be paid in Gold and Silver?

Answered by the whole Body, It could not be paid in Gold and Silver even for one Year.

Third. Their Opinion was desired, whether, as the Act required, the Governor and Chief Justice to superintend the Distributor, he should be obliged to take Charge of the Distribution of the Stamps by Order and Appointment of the Governor, if he should think proper to fix upon him for that Office?

Answered and advised not to take it upon him, the Governor not being empowered by the Act to appoint, or if he was, it was left to the Chief Justice's Option, and that it would be incompatible with his Office as Chief Justice.

We hear the Speaker of the New Jersey Assembly has wrote to all the Members to meet at Princetown to appoint some of their Body to go to the Congress at New-York.

Capt. Moor, arrived here from Senegal, advises that there has been a Disturbance between our People and the Moors, which in May last came to an open Rupture, the Moors having attacked and carried a Fort, about 300 Miles up the River Senegal, called Padore, then drove all the English Vessels out of the River, and continue skirmishing with the English wherever they meet them. Some Time in May 7 or 800 of them attacked a Schooner, Capt. Devonshire, belonging to New-York, and laying at an Anchor in the River, killed and wounded five of his Men, and would have soon made a Sacrifice of the Rest, as about 200 of them, under the Fire of the Rest, had taken to the Water with an Intent to swim on board, and he being unable to make any Resistance, if Capt. Moor had not at that critical Time come to his Assistance, who being acquainted with a great Number of the Chiefs, went on Shore in his Boat through the thickest of the Fire, with fair Words and some Presents distributed among them, with which they were well pleased, they were persuaded to cease firing, then went off and left the Vessels to pursue their Business.

ANNAPOLIS, October 10.

The following ought to have been inserted in our Gazette last Week:

To his Excellency HORATIO SHARPE, Esq; Governor and Commander in Chief in and over the Province of MARYLAND:

The humble ADDRESS of the HOUSE of DELEGATES.

May it please your Excellency,

IN Answer to your Message just now received, relative to the Stamp'd Paper, we should think ourselves extremely happy were we in Circumstances to advise your Excellency on so new a Subject: But it being a Matter of Importance, and such as we do not think ourselves at Liberty to advise in, without the Instructions of our Constituents, which we cannot now obtain, we hope your Excellency will think us excusable for declining to offer you any Advice upon the Occasion.

We return your Excellency Thanks for your Promise of a short Reces, at this Time, agreeable to our Request.

Sept. 28. ROBERT LLOYD, Speaker.

Saturday last WALTER DULANY, Esq; was Re-chosen a Representative for this City; his Seat having been Vacated by his Acceptance of the Naval-Office of Patuxent since his Election last Year.

Friday last Edward Radgking, and John Hubbert, the one for the Murder of his Fellow-Servant, the other his Master, were Executed here, pursuant to their Sentence at the Provincial Court, and behaved very Penitently.

We are informed from Baltimore County, that on the 27th of August past, Anne Carlin, the Wife of Daniel Carlin of Bush River, gather'd, as she thought, some Mushrooms, which she dress'd and eat, as she had commonly done before; but at Night was taken Ill with a Vomiting and Purging, and Died on the third Day.

In the same County, some Years since, an old Man and Two young Women, eat of Mushrooms, as they thought; and the old Man having occasion immediately to set out

on a Journey, was taken Ill at Night at the House where he put up; the People gave him warm Milk from the Cow, of which he drank plentifully, and recovered. The Two young Women were taken Ill about the same Time, and both Died.

THIS DAY closes all Accounts with our good Customers for the GAZETTE.

JONAS GREEN sends his friendly Compliments to his Brother Publishers, in Virginia, Philadelphia, New-York, Connecticut, Rhode-Island, Bolton, Portsmouth and Quebec, from and to whom he has received and sent PUBLIC PAPERS for Years past, and hopes and requests all those of them who shall be enabled to continue their Publications, will be kind enough to favour him as heretofore, and he will again send to them, whenever a Revival of the MARYLAND GAZETTE shall happen, or in any other Manner make them Retaliation.

Next Monday, will be to be SOLD, at this Printing-Office, a Pamphlet (of Seven Sheets Quarto, in Small-Pica,) entitled,

CONSIDERATIONS on the Propriety of Imposing TAXES in the British COLONIES, for the Purpose of raising a REVENUE, by Act of Parliament.

—Hand Totum Verba resignant
Quod latet arcanâ, non enarrabile, fibrâ.

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Frederickburg, Sept. 30, 1765.

JUST arrived from AFRICA, the Ship Alice, from Senegal and Gambia, ARTHUR SINCLAIR Master, with a Cargo of choice healthy SLAVES, the Sale of which will begin at Howe's Ferry, on Patuxemack, on Monday the Seventh Day of October, and the Fourteenth at Alexandria, and continue until all are Sold.

JAMES MILLS.
JAMES HUNTER.

N. B. Tobacco, in Virginia or Maryland, will be received in Payment.

WHEREAS Letters Testamentary hath heretofore been granted unto a certain William Nicholson, late of Baltimore County, to Administer and Account for all and singular the Goods, Chattels, Rights and Credits, of John Forty, deceased; and whereas the said William Nicholson is since deceased, and left the said Estate not Administered, and Letters De Bonis Non is granted unto the Subscriber: This is to give Notice unto all whom it may concern, That all those Indebted to the Estate of the said John Forty, are hereby desired, without further Delay, to pay the same to the Subscriber; and those who have any just Demands against the said Estate, are desired to bring the same in, that they may be adjusted, by

ELISHA HALL, Administrator De Bonis Non.

Kent County, October 5, 1765.

WHEREAS we the Subscribers have passed our Bond to the Assignees of John Gill, for the Sum of One Hundred and Thirty-eight Pounds Ten Shillings and Ten Pence Half-penny Sterling, or near it, and have been deceived in the Settlement of John Gill's Account, for the Balance whereof the said Bond was passed, wherein he charges a Premium for Insurance, which we never ordered, and which we have Reason to believe he never paid, amounting to almost as much as the Sum mentioned in the said Bond: We do, therefore, give this public Notice, That we do not intend to pay it, until it is legally made appear that he paid such Premium, and desire that no one will take an Assignment thereof.

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JOSHUA VANSANT,
JOHN VANSANT.

Frederick County, October 8, 1765.

THE Subscriber has a considerable Quantity of LAND, which he would either Sell or Lease at reasonable Rates, and give Seven Years Credit, paying Interest.

All Persons Indebted on Bond, Note, or Account, are desired to pay off the same.

NINIAN BEALL, Son of Ninian.

THE Subscriber being Imprisoned in Baltimore County, for many large Sums due to sundry Persons, he requests all his Creditors to meet him in the Town of Joppa, on Wednesday the 23d of this Instant October, in order to consult on the most advantageous Terms for their Part of their respective Debts that he is still able to satisfy, being willingly inclined to fall into any Measures his Creditors may think most beneficial to them. At the same Time he intends to give them a fair State of all his Estate now remaining, and will cheerfully consent to put the same into their Hands on any Terms they may agree, in Hopes of their Consent to his Enlargement. As Confining him in Jail after the above Proposal, can't be of any Use, he humbly hopes all concerned will be humane enough to consent to take their equal Dividend of what he still has left; intending, if ever it should be in his Power, after supporting himself and Family, to make them all the future Satisfaction he shall be able.

JOHN G. HOWARD.

Frederick County, October 1, 1765.

UPON a Petition being preferred to the worshipful Justices of Frederick County, at Newmarket Court 1764, by Joseph West, senior, praying that Commission might issue to certain Persons, empowering them to examine Evidences relating to the Bounds of a Tract of Land, called The Younger Brother, lying in the County aforesaid, or the Bounds of any of the Land or Lands, whereon the Bounds of the aforesaid Land may depend, in order to ascertain and perpetuate the same; which Petition being Granted, and Commission thereupon issued, and directed to us the Subscribers for that Purpose, we hereby give Notice to all Persons any ways concerned or interested therein, or whose Property it may any ways affect thereby, That we intend to meet at the House of Mr. Joseph West, on Monday the 11th of November next, in order to execute the said Commission, that we may make due Return thereof, together with the Depositions, so that the same may be Recorded in perpetual Memory, according to the Directions of the Act of Assembly in that Case made and provided.

DAVID LYNN,
SIMON NICHOLLS,
GERARD BRISCOR.

J. West to my

Annapolis, October 7, 1765.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

RAN away, this Morning, from the Subscriber's Plantation, at Mount-Clare, near Baltimore-Town, a Convict Servant Man named Joseph Fry, about 21 or 22 Years of Age: He is about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, a little pitted with the Small-Pox, a short Forehead, and small grey Eyes, a small Nose, flat round Face, short Hair, has a down Look, talks pretty broad, and has a slouch Walk. He carried with him a blue Surtout Coat, a pale grey Broad-Cloth Ditto, a new Felt Hat, brown Cut Wig, a Scarlet and Drab Waistcoat, Buckskin Breeches, a Holland Shirt, red Silk Handkerchief, grey Worsted Stockings, Country-made Shoes, with Straps roughly put on, new Copper Buckles, a Cotton Waistcoat, and an Onabrigs Shirt and Trowsers.

He took with him a Bright Bay Gelding, Half Blood, Four Years old, Fifteen Hands high, with a large Star in his Forehead, hanging Mane, his Ears and Head newly trimmed, has one white Foot behind, a Switch Tail, paces, trots and gallops, and shod all round.

Whoever secures the said Horse and Servant, so that the Subscriber may get them again, shall have the above Reward of Ten Pounds, or Five Pounds for either, from CHARLES CARROLL.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living near Upper-Marlborough, the 18th of August last, a Servant Man named James Henry Alifraan, he probably may assume the Name of Mullison, is a Taylor by Trade, about 24 Years of Age, and about 5 Feet 7 Inches high, has long black Hair, much pitted with the Small-Pox, and many Pimples in his Face: Had on, a grey German Serge Pea Jacket, and an Onabrigs Shirt and Trowsers. It is likely he may change his Dress, as he took other Cloaths with him.

Whoever delivers the said Servant to his Master, shall have, if taken in the County, Twenty Shillings Reward, and reasonable Charges; if out of the County Forty Shillings, and it out of the Province Three Pounds, paid by

DAVID LOWE.

N. B. All Masters of Vessels are forewarn'd not to carry him off at their Peril.